

### **3.0 ALTERNATIVES TO THE PROPOSED ACTION**

Alternatives to the proposed action are discussed, but not fully analyzed, in the following sections.

#### **3.1 NO ACTION ALTERNATIVE**

The No Action Alternative to the proposed action would not retrieve any buried TRU waste at this time. This alternative would leave all buried TRU waste containers in place in the current configuration. The LLBG would not be modified and CWC or any other TSD unit would not receive and store the currently buried TRU waste drums.

#### **3.2 ALTERNATIVE TO RETRIEVE ALL POST-1970 TRU WASTE FROM LLBG 218-W-4B AND 218-W-4C**

This alternative would retrieve all post-1970 TRU waste from LLBG 218-W-4B AND 218-W-4C, including the boxes, casks, and other large containers and the remote handled (RH) containers that are not included for retrieval in the proposed action. These large and RH containers would be shipped to a storage facility where they would await processing in a RH and large container TRU waste processing facility that would be constructed or modified as part of future activities.

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